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DEMONSTRATION OF RADIO MIND

Group of Young People Keen to See Experiments and Hear Talk

ARCHBISHOP'S PENDULUM

Mere Toy Becomes Scientific Instrument Showing Clearly Scientific Truth

Last night after church an impromptu group of something over twenty young people gathered in the flat over the Daily News offices for the purpose of witnessing a demonstration of the thought transference experiments of Archbishop DuVernet.

The Archbishop made it very clear that thought transference was no new thing as it had for many years been accepted as a theory but until recently had never been scientifically proved. It remained for him, by the use of the Chevreuil pendulum, to send thought messages at will at any time and under almost any conditions.

The speaker told of a number of well authenticated cases of thought transference, where people had received direct messages without the medium of any mechanical device. One case as recently as last week seemed to indicate very clearly the conveyance of a direct message.

Proved His Case

The differences between the cases outlined by the Archbishop and those the subject of his experiments was that the former were messages conveyed direct to the conscious mind, whereas messages could be sent at will through the unconscious mind and interpreted through the muscles. Some years ago in reading a book, written by one of the great psychologists, the Archbishop said he had been struck by a statement that while there were many well authenti-

ated cases of thought transference, the fact had not been scientifically demonstrated. Then he set out to demonstrate it and succeeded. The effect of this was very apparent for, when it became clear that all our thoughts were broadcasted like a radio message and had an effect on the thoughts and actions of others it became doubly important that the thoughts should be of the right kind.

A number of those present tried the experiment of spelling out a word by thought transference, with the Archbishop holding the pendulum and they doing the thinking. The keenest interest was taken in this and also in the recital by the Archbishop of the gradual development of the idea and of its early successes. So interested were they that after the talk the young people gathered around His Grace and questioned him more closely in regard to many points that had not been quite clear and also as to the possible relationship between thought transference and spiritualism.

A Mere Toy

The Archbishop explained that while many looked upon the pendulum as a mere toy, yet it was through it that he had been able to demonstrate a great truth. The people of Prince Rupert seemed less interested in this than those living at a distance. He received many letters from all over the continent in regard to the matter and wherever he went people were keen to ask questions and to look for demonstrations. He found this especially so among the students and young people generally.

The pendulum used by the Archbishop was simply a latch-key suspended by a string eight inches in length from the end of a lead pencil. It was curious to watch the expression on some of the faces when it was found that this little pendulum would swing in any direction at the bidding of the thought, without any conscious muscular effort.

The Man in the Moon SAYS-

ONE of the things that won't get you anywhere is talking about yourself all the time.

WHEN a man's married he learns to be a good listener.

WHEN a fine day comes we all worry over having to go to heaven some day and leave this wonderful climate.

IS a husband a luxury or a necessity? That is one of the questions that the girls of to-day are debating. Some of the young married things think he is a darned nuisance to have around.

JAKE wants to know why the family of the moral reformer turns out bad, the politician does not pay his debts and the labor leader does not work any more than he has to. I give it up, Jake.

JAZZERY Jinks
Went off to a dance
Began to shuffle
And then to prance.
But a Jezebel girl
Got him on a string
By calling him "brother"
And "dear old thing."

MRS. W. S. Hart, wife of the famous screen artist, declares that she is unable to live on the interest from \$200,000 and wishes to return to her former profession of movie actress. It's a sad tale of hardship and penury.

MY income is sufficient to enable me to pay taxes and also it would be big enough to enable me to raise a family if they came in moderation, but to pay taxes and raise a family would be out of the question.

NO one can go to heaven alone. It would be hell to most of us to be left to our own reflections for a year.

APPARENTLY Howard Carter got too fresh with King Tut and the police had to interfere.

THE man who fails to make a mark here has the consolation of thinking that he will hold the centre of the stage at his own funeral.

A MAID is likely to be canned if the mistress hears husband calling her a peach.

A MAN escaped from an asylum in order to get married. He was at once returned to the institution, his madness having been confirmed by the act.

THE newspapers in some American towns have been printing lists of eligible leap year bachelors. There seems little need to print them here, except to distinguish between the bachelors and grass widowers.

TO the pure all things are pure, but to the puritan all things are, to say the least, shady.

A PERSON never climbs so high as to be above suspicion.

FOLLOWING the example of Margot Asquith one or two of the local residents of Shady Street are talking of publishing a book of personal reminiscences. It is said the whole edition will be bought up as soon as it comes from the press.

WHY should a person remain poor when he can get credit?

THERE are a number of broadcasting stations in this city in addition to the two daily newspapers and Jack Bernsley's radio.

WHILE half the population is playing mah jongg the other half is playing chop suey.

IF marriage is not a lottery, why do so many women draw blanks?

IF Prince Rupert does not get an elevator it will not be for lack of hollering about it, says Jake.

WHICH is better, to keep quiet and be thought a dunderhead or to speak out and be known for a fool

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TELLS OF VISIT TO SKIDEGATE

Dr. Bayne of This City Describes Stay With Natives and Appreciates Hospitality

Dr. Alfred H. Bayne of this city, who has been doing dental work on Queen Charlotte Islands, writes most interestingly of a recent visit to Skidegate. He says: "The native village of Skidegate to me was a revelation. Some little time ago the council of the village invited me to come and render them 'dental service.' I was dubious about doing so, but was assured by the white people on the Islands that I would be comfortable. I decided to go. My experience there, which has been the same with others who have had the privilege, I might say, of staying in the village was a pleasure from start to finish and when I left I felt they should be commended, for they are truly a fine and worthy people.

It was arranged that I should stay at the home of the chief councillor. Their home is large and well built, commanding a fine view of the Bechoe Straits, practically all signs of bygone days have disappeared and the house is equal to that of a comfortable city dwelling, well furnished, and in good taste.

Clean linen was very much in evidence, in fact everything was spotless. This was not only superficial, for twice one week I saw the clothes line well laden with wearing apparel. Three rosy looking children are in the house, each clean and orderly, and let me say very obedient to their parents.

Good Cooks

Supper time came, my first meal. Good food, well cooked, and in abundance was on the table. Everything was so inviting that I was soon enjoying one of the best meals I had had for a long time.

The evenings were spent in chatting about current events while the women knitted, and all I can say is that anyone anticipating a trip there had better become well posted or be prepared to be a good listener.

Bed time, the rule followed, cleanliness prevailed, the linen was of the very best, but the making of the bed was somewhat of a novel idea. An ordinary spring was used, a good mattress, on top of this was a tick filled with the downy feathers of wild geese, a bit thicker than an eider-down. If you ever want a real comfortable bed, not too soft or too hard, but just right, try the formula.

Although I described one home the description applies to practically all others.

Methodist Mission

A great deal of credit is due the Methodist Mission located on the reserve. Mr. and Mrs. Allan are in charge. They are doing a great work amongst the people, helping them in all their little difficulties. Mr. Allen assisting the men and his good wife working amongst the women. A nurse is resident there and also a school teacher, the latter having about 60 children under her care.

Just a word here, a medical examination of the school was made the other day. Each child was stripped for the occasion and the doctor told me afterwards he had never seen cleaner children in his life.

PLANNING FOR POULTRY SHOW

Committee of Poultry Association Appointed to Look After This Department at Fair

A meeting of the Prince Rupert Poultry Association was held at the week end for the purpose of advancing plans for the poultry exhibit at the Fair this year. The following sub-committee has been appointed to work along these particular lines under the Fair Board's prize book revision committee: Charles Folsom, John Unwin, J. Myhill-Jones, William Sherman Jr. and John E. Davey.

Entries for the poultry department at the Exhibition must be in the hands of the secretary of the Fair Board this year not later than September 5. All birds to be put on display will have to be in the building by 6 a.m. on the opening day—September 9—and judging will commence at 8 a.m. The exhibits may be removed on



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